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ATTORNEY'S DOCKET NUMBER 235670 TRANSMITTAL LETTER TO THE UNITED STATES CLIENT REF. NO. DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US) 20053B/US CONCERNING A SUBMISSION UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see Unassigned 1 1/5 3 PRIORITY DATE CE INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. INTERNATIONAL FILING DATE 13 November 2003 (13.11.2003) 13 November 2002 (13.11.2002) PCT/JP2003/014423 TITLE OF INVENTION MODIFIED SARCOSINE OXIDASE, PROCESS FOR PRODUCING THE SAME AND REAGENT COMPOSITION USING THE SAME APPLICANT(S) FOR DO/EO/US KISHIMOTO, Takahide; SOGABE, Atsushi; OKA, Masanori Applicant herewith submits to the United States Designated/Elected Office (DO/EO/US) the following items and other information: 1. Mark This is a FIRST submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371 and 37 CFR 1.491. ☐ This is a SECOND or SUBSEQUENT submission of items concerning a filing under 35 USC 371 and 37 CFR 1.491. ☐ This is an express request to begin national examination procedures (35 USC 371(f)). The US has been elected (PCT Article 31). b. 🛛 has been communicated by the International Bureau. 6. An English language translation of the International Application as filed (35 USC 371(c)(2)). is attached hereto. b. as previously been submitted under 35 U.S.CV. 154(d)(4). Amendments to the claims of the International Application under PCT Article 19 (35 USC 371(c)(3)) are attached hereto (required only if not communicated by the International Bureau). have been communicated by the International Bureau. ☐ have not been made; however, the time limit for making such amendments has NOT expired. May have not been made and will not be made. 9. An oath or declaration of the inventor(s) (35 USC 371(c)(4)). (35 USC 371(c)(5)). 11. Nucleotide and/or Amino Acid Sequence Submission Specification Sequence Listing on: CD-ROM or CD-R (2 copies); or □ Paper Copy Statement verifying identity of above copies Items 12 to 20 below concern other document(s) or information included: 12. An Information Disclosure Statement under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. Form PTO-1449 □ Copies of References (except for U.S. patents and applications) 13. An assignment for recording. A separate cover sheet in compliance with 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. 14. A FIRST preliminary amendment. 15. A SECOND or SUBSEQUENT preliminary amendment. 16. A substitute specification. ☐ A change of power of attorney and/or address letter. 18. Application Data Sheet Under 37 CFR 1.76 19. X Return Receipt Postcard 20. Other items or information: Verification of Translation (1 page)

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